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NIGHT LEAD HEUSINGER

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BY PRESTON GROVER

MOSCOW, DEC. 12 (AP)-THE SOVIET UNION DEMANDED TODAY THAT THE UNITED STATES ARREST WEST GERMAN GEN. ADOLF HEUSINGER, CHAIRMAN OF NATO'S PERMANENT MILITARY COMMITTEE, AND HAND HIM OVER TO MOSCOW FOR TRIAL AS A WORLD WAR II CRIMINAL.

THE WEST GERMAN GOVERNMENT AND NATO MILITARY SOURCES IN PARIS CALLED THE WAR CRIMES CHARGES AGAINST THE 64-YEAR-OLD HEUSINGER PROPAGANDA. THEY SAID THE CHARGES WERE EXPLODED LONG AGO BY INVESTIGATION.

(IN WASHINGTON, STATE DEPARTMENT PRESS OFFICER LINCOLN WHITE CALLED THE SOVIET CHARGE "CRUDE AND LUDICROUS PROPAGANDA" DESIGNED TO DISRUPT THE NATO ALLIES ON THE EVE OF THEIR MEETING OF MINISTERS IN PARIS.)

TO OBSERVERS IT SEEMED PROBABLE THE CHARGES, BROUGHT UP 16 YEARS AFTER THE END OF THE WAR, WERE MEANT AS ANOTHER BRUSH STROKE IN THE SOVIET PICTURE OF WEST GERMANY AS A WARLIKE NATION ENDANGERING PEACE OVER BERLIN.

HEUSINGER FOR YEARS HAS BEEN WEST GERMAN CHANCELLOR KONRAD ADENAUER'S MILITARY ADVISER AND CHIEF ARCHITECT OF THE POSTWAR WEST GERMAN ARMY. HE WAS IN PARIS WHEN THE NOTE WAS MADE PUBLIC AND MADE NO PUBLIC COMMENT.

HE WAS ARRESTED BY THE WESTERN ALLIES AFTER WORLD WAR II AND INTERNED UNTIL 1948 BUT NEVER WAS BROUGHT TO TRIAL ON WAR CRIMES CHARGES.

AS CHIEF OF OPERATIONS, HE WAS STANDING AT HITLER'S SIDE AND WAS WOUNDED IN THE 1944 BOMB ATTEMPT ON HITLER'S LIFE. HE HAD KNOWN OF THE PLOT BUT HAD NOT TAKEN PART IN IT. ARRESTED BY THE NAZIS, HE WAS RELEASED AFTER TWO MONTHS BUT WAS BARRED FROM ACTIVE DUTY.

THE SOVIET CHARGES WERE MADE IN A NOTE TO THE UNITED STATES THAT WAS PUBLICIZED BEFORE CAMERAS AT A BRILLIANTLY LIGHTED NEWS CONFERENCE IN THE FOREIGN MINISTRY.

THE NOTE WAS SENT TO THE UNITED STATES BECAUSE THE NATO PERMANENT MILITARY COMMITTEE, OF WHICH HEUSINGER WAS MADE CHAIRMAN A YEAR AGO, NORMALLY WORKS IN WASHINGTON. BUT COPIES WERE SENT TO ALL NATO MEMBERS AND SEVERAL OTHER NATIONS.

MICHAEL KHARLAMOV, FOREIGN MINISTRY PRESS DIRECTOR, SAID AN EXTRAORDINARY COMMISSION HAD JUST FINISHED INVESTIGATING HEUSINGER, BUT HE SAID A MOMENT LATER THAT THE PART THE GENERAL PLAYED IN THE WAR HAD BEEN KNOWN FOR YEARS.

TONIGHT A TELEVISION SHOW, CLEARLY PREPARED LONG IN ADVANCE, WAS BROADCAST OVER THE SOVIET UNION SUPPORTING THE DEMAND FOR HEUSINGER'S TRIAL AS A WAR CRIMINAL.

IT DEPICTED HIM WITH HITLER ISSUING ORDER AFTER ORDER IN PREPARATION FOR ATTACKS ON THE SOVIET UNION AND ENGLAND. SECTIONS OF WAR FILM ALSO WERE SHOWN, INCLUDING BODIES OF CHILDREN AND OLD PEOPLE.

ALTHOUGH THE SOVIET NOTE ASKED THAT HEUSINGER BE SURRENDERED SO HE COULD BE TRIED IN MOSCOW, KHARLAMOV SAID THERE WOULD BE NO OBJECTION TO OTHER NATIONS TAKING PART IN THE TRIAL.

DISPLAYED AT THE NEWS CONFERENCE WAS A LARGE EXHIBIT OF MAPS AND DOCUMENTS, SAID TO HAVE BEEN CAPTURED FROM NAZI ARCHIVES IN GERMANY ON WHICH OFFICIALS SAID THEY BASED THEIR CHARGES.

SOME DOCUMENTS SEEMED DESIGNED TO SHARPEN DIFFERENCES IN BRITAIN REGARDING WEST GERMANY. THESE DETAILED ALLEGED PLANS FOR THE TREATMENT OF THE ENGLISH PEOPLE UNDER A NAZI OCCUPATION REGIME, INCLUDING THE METING OUT OF DEATH PENALTIES TO ALL WHO DID NOT SURRENDER ARMS.

THE RUSSIANS ACCUSED HEUSINGER OF WAR CRIMES, CRIMES AGAINST THE PEACE AND CRIMES AGAINST HUMANITY.

VALENTINA GRIZODUBOVA, A MEMBER OF THE "STATE EXTRAORDINARY COMMISSION FOR THE ESTABLISHMENT AND INVESTIGATION OF ATROCITIES PERPETRATED BY THE GERMAN FASCIST INVADERS," SAID HEUSINGER DRAFTED PLANS FOR WARTIME ATTACKS ON BRITAIN, THE SOVIET UNION, FRANCE AND A NUMBER OF OTHER COUNTRIES.

SHE SAID HE PLAYED AN ACTIVE ROLE IN PREPARING AND CARRYING OUT "THE VILLAINOUS DESIGNS FOR THE ENSLAVEMENT OR ANNIHILATION OF THE POPULATION OF THE SOVIET UNION," AND "MADE SUGGESTIONS FOR RESORT TO THE MOST SAVAGE VIOLENCE AGAINST THE SOVIET PEOPLE."

HEUSINGER, SHE DECLARED, WAS IN DIRECT CHARGE OF OPERATIONS AGAINST SOVIET GUERRILLAS OPERATING BEHIND GERMAN LINES AND IN ONE DIRECTIVE CALLED FOR SHOOTING "OR EVEN BETTER, HANGING" OF ALL GUERRILLAS, INCLUDING WOMEN.

SHE LISTED A NUMBER OF PARTISANS WHO HAD BEEN EXECUTED AND VILLAGES THAT HAD BEEN DESTROYED IN REPRISAL FOR PARTISAN RAIDS.

IN BONN, THE WEST GERMAN FOREIGN MINISTRY SAID THE CHARGES BY THE RUSSIANS WERE COMPLETELY FALSE AND THAT THE WEST GERMAN GOVERNMENT WOULD NEVER CONSENT TO HIS BEING TURNED OVER TO SOVIET AUTHORITIES.

"THIS IS JUST ANOTHER SOVIET PROPAGANDA MOVE," SAID A WEST BERLIN OFFICIAL.

HE POINTED OUT THAT THE WEST GERMAN PARLIAMENT INVESTIGATED HEUSINGER BEFORE HIS APPOINTMENT AS CHIEF OF STAFF OF THE ARMED FORCES IN 1955.

IN PARIS, NATO MILITARY SOURCES, SAID THE SOVIET ACCUSATIONS WERE A "PROPAGANDA GAMBIT", THE KIND OF THING THAT USUALLY TAKES PLACE WHEN NATO IS HAVING ITS ANNUAL MINISTERIAL MEETING.

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U R G E N T

FOURTH NIGHT LEAD MINISTERS

BY JOSEPH DYNAN

PARIS, DEC. 12 (AP)-THE WESTERN BIG FOUR MINISTERS AGREED TONIGHT AT AN EMERGENCY SESSION TO FEEL OUT THE RUSSIANS TO SEE IF AN ACCEPTABLE BASIS FOR EAST-WEST TALKS ON BERLIN CAN BE ACHIEVED, AN AMERICAN SOURCE REPORTED.

BUT AN OFFICIAL ANNOUNCEMENT ENDING A SESSION OF THE FOREIGN MINISTERS OF THE UNITED STATES, BRITAIN, FRANCE AND WEST GERMANY CAREFULLY REFRAINED FROM SAYING THE POWERS HAD REACHED ANY OVER-ALL ACCORD.

IT SAID ONLY THEY HAD AGREED ON THE REPORT THEY WILL MAKE TO THE NATO ALLIES.

THE EXACT FORM OF THE DIPLOMATIC PROBING ACTION TO BE UNDERTAKEN WAS NOT SPELLED OUT BY THE SOURCE. IT WAS EXPECTED TO BECOME CLEAR ONLY AFTER REPORTS ARE MADE TO THE FULL NATO MINISTERIAL COUNCIL OPENING WEDNESDAY.

HOWEVER, IT WAS SUGGESTED BY CONFERENCE SOURCES THAT THE FRENCH MIGHT NOT BE IN AT THE START OF A PROBING OPERATION, BUT MIGHT COME IN LATER IF, AS FRENCH PRESIDENT DE GAULLE DEMANDS, THE RUSSIANS SHOW THEY SERIOUSLY WANT NEGOTIATIONS BY IMPROVING THE INTERNATIONAL ATMOSPHERE.

THIS SUGGESTED THAT THE UNITED STATES AND FRANCE MOVED CLOSER TOGETHER--IF ONLY SLIGHTLY--ON THE QUESTION OF BERLIN NEGOTIATIONS. THE FRENCH DID NOT ACT TO HOLD UP THE RENEWED PROBING ANY LONGER.

THE UNITED STATES, FOR ITS PART, ASSURED THE FRENCH THAT ACTUAL NEGOTIATIONS WITH THE RUSSIANS OVER BERLIN WOULD ONLY BE UNDERTAKEN "ON A REASONABLE BASIS," AMERICAN SOURCES SAID.

THERE WAS NO INDICATION WHEN THE PROBING WOULD RESUME.

THE BRITISH AND AMERICANS, WITH WEST GERMAN ENDORSEMENT, CONTEND THE ALLIES MUST TRY FOR GUARANTEES FOR WEST BERLIN, TO PREVENT A BORDER INCIDENT IN THE PRESENT TENSE ATMOSPHERE FROM FLARING INTO A FULL-SCALE WAR.

THE FRENCH OPPOSE ENTERING NEGOTIATIONS WITH THE RUSSIANS UNDER ANYTHING THAT LOOKS LIKE A THREAT. BUT ALL ARE AGREED ON THEIR OBJECTIVES--PRESERVATION OF THE FREEDOM OF WEST BERLIN AND THE RIGHTS OF WESTERN ACCESS TO THE COMMUNIST-ENCIRCLED CITY.

WHAT SOURCES INDICATED RESULTED FROM THE TWO-DAY MEETING WAS IN SUBSTANCE THE SAME FORMULA PRESIDENT KENNEDY AND WEST GERMAN CHANCELLOR KONRAD ADENAUER AGREED ON IN THEIR RECENT WASHINGTON MEETING.

EARLY IN AUTUMN, LLEWELLYN THOMPSON, U.S. AMBASSADOR TO MOSCOW, ENGAGED IN SUCH PROBING ACTIVITIES ON BEHALF OF THE WESTERN ALLIES. THIS ACTIVITY CAME TO A HALT, HOWEVER, AFTER THE RUSSIANS CHANGED THE INTERNATIONAL CLIMATE FOR THE WORSE AND DE GAULLE'S DOUBTS ABOUT THE WISDOM OF EAST-WEST NEGOTIATIONS BECAME MORE FIRMLY ENTRENCHED.

U.S. ASSISTANT SECRETARY OF STATE ROGER TUBBY TOLD A NEWS CONFERENCE THAT SECRETARY OF STATE DEAN RUSK, BRITISH FOREIGN SECRETARY LORD HOME, FRENCH FOREIGN MINISTER MAURICE COUVE DE MURVILLE AND WEST GERMAN FOREIGN MINISTER GERHARD SCHROEDER WILL PRESENT SEPARATE REPORTS ON BERLIN AND GERMANY TO THE NATO COUNCIL.

THE MINISTERS ENDED AN HOUR AND A HALF EMERGENCY SESSION WITH A BRIEF ANNOUNCEMENT. IT SAID ONLY THAT THEY "AGREED ON THE REPORTS WHICH THEY WILL PRESENT TOMORROW TO THE ATLANTIC COUNCIL. A COMMUNIQUE ON THIS SUBJECT WILL PROBABLY BE PUBLISHED AT THE END OF THE NATO COUNCIL SESSION."

TUBBY SAID THE MINISTERS AGREED THAT THEIR THINKING ON BERLIN AND GERMANY SHOULD BE INCORPORATED IN THE FINAL NATO COMMUNIQUE FRIDAY.

OUTSIDE THE SECRET SESSIONS THERE WERE REPORTS THAT BRITAIN AND FRANCE ARE CRITICAL OF THE KIND OF LEADERSHIP THE UNITED STATES IS GIVING THE WESTERN ALLIANCE.

THE MINISTERS OF BRITAIN, FRANCE, THE UNITED STATES AND WEST GERMANY MET FOR MORE THAN TWO HOURS THIS AFTERNOON IN WHAT WAS TO HAVE BEEN THEIR FINAL DEBATE ON THE CONDITIONS FOR EAST-WEST NEGOTIATIONS ON BERLIN. THEN THEY HELD A SURPRISE POST-DINNER SESSION TONIGHT.

AN AMERICAN SPOKESMAN SAID THE NIGHT MEETING MEANT THE MINISTERS "HAD NOT CONCLUDED THEIR BERLIN DISCUSSION AND THE POSSIBILITY OF NEGOTIATIONS OR EXPLORATORY TALKS."

WEST GERMAN FOREIGN MINISTER GERHARD SCHROEDER TOLD NEWSMEN "CERTAIN DIFFICULTIES" FORCED THE EXTRA SESSION.

"I HOPE WE WILL OVERCOME THESE DIFFICULTIES BUT I DARE NOT SAY WE WILL SUCCEED," HE ADDED, NOT VERY OPTIMISTICALLY.

SECRETARY OF STATE DEAN RUSK, WITH THE SUPPORT OF BRITAIN'S LORD HOME, BELIEVES THE WEST SHOULD EXPLORE, THROUGH DIPLOMATIC CHANNELS IN MOSCOW AT LEAST, THE POSSIBILITY OF FINDING A REASONABLE BASIS FOR GETTING EAST-WEST TALKS STARTED ON BERLIN.

FRANCE'S MAURICE COUVE DE MURVILLE, FOLLOWING A POLICY LAID DOWN BY PRESIDENT CHARLES DE GAULLE, HAVE BALKED AT NEGOTIATIONS ON THE GROUNDS THAT THE RUSSIANS HAVE SHOWN NO SIGN OF BEING WILLING TO MAKE ANY CONCESSIONS.

EARLIER, IT WAS REPORTED THAT DE GAULLE WOULD NOT OPPOSE A PROBING OPERATION IN MOSCOW BY U.S. AMBASSADOR LLEWELLYN E. THOMPSON.

BUT THE AMERICAN SPOKESMAN'S STATEMENT THAT THE FOUR MINISTERS WERE STILL DISCUSSING EXPLORATORY TALKS INDICATED THE FRENCH STILL DOUBTED THE WISDOM OF EVEN THAT KIND OF INITIATIVE.

THE AMERICAN SPOKESMAN SAID THE MINISTERS DEALT EXCLUSIVELY WITH BERLIN, BUT IT WOULD BE PREMATURE TO SAY THEY HAD FINISHED WITH THE CONGO AND KATANGA, ANOTHER ISSUE CAUSING DISSENTION.

WASHINGTON'S CONTRIBUTION OF GLOBEMASTERS TO THE TRANSPORT OF U.N. TROOPS TO KATANGA AND GENERAL SUPPORT OF THE U.N. IN THE CONGO HAS WORRIED BRITAIN AND FRANCE. THE BRITISH FEAR THE U.N. IS TRYING TO TERMINATE KATANGA'S SECESSION BY FORCE AND HAS WITHHELD PROMISED BOMBS FOR THE U.N. FORCE UNTIL U.N. POLICY IS CLARIFIED. FRANCE ALWAYS HAS OPPOSED SENDING U.N. FORCES TO THE CONGO.

SOME SOURCES OUTSIDE THE CONFERENCE CHAMBERS SAID THIS WAS BUILDING UP A LACK OF CONFIDENCE IN AMERICAN LEADERSHIP.

THE WESTERN POWERS HAVE NOWHERE ELSE TO GO FOR LEADERSHIP. HOWEVER, AND ANY PUBLIC ADMISSION OF QUARRELING WOULD ONLY COMFORT THE RUSSIANS.

AN AMERICAN SOURCE SAID SOVIET PREMIER KHRUSHCHEV BY HIS POLICIES TENDS "TO KEEP US TOGETHER."

ONE EXAMPLE WAS THE SOVIET UNION'S DEMAND FOR THE UNITED STATES TO ARREST WEST GERMAN GEN. ADOLF HEUSINGER, CHAIRMAN OF THE NATO MILITARY COMMITTEE AND HAND HIM OVER TO MOSCOW FOR TRIAL AS A WAR CRIMINAL.

ANOTHER WAS SOVIET AMBASSADOR MIKHAIL MENSHIKOV'S SPEECH IN WASHINGTON MONDAY DECLARING THERE WOULD "NOT EVEN BE A BASIS FOR NEGOTIATIONS" IF THE WEST MERELY TRIED TO CONFIRM ITS OCCUPATION RIGHTS IN BERLIN.

THESE SOVIET PRESSURES DID NOT DRIVE FRANCE INTO SUCH UNITY WITH HER ALLIES, HOWEVER, THAT IT WAS WILLING TO DROP OPPOSITION TO THE INTEGRATION OF WESTERN FORCES SOUGHT BY NATO COMMANDERS.

PREMIER MICHEL DEBRE TOLD THE SENATE THAT INTEGRATION OF ALL FRENCH MILITARY DEFENSE WOULD AMOUNT TO "NATIONAL RESIGNATION." HE SAID AMERICAN POLICY TOWARD EGYPT AND THE CONGO "LEAVES US SKEPTICAL AS TO THE VIRTUE OF POLITICAL OR MILITARY INTEGRATION."

THE FOUR MINISTERS ARE TO JOIN THE TOP DIPLOMATS OF THE 11 OTHER NATO MEMBERS IN AN ANNUAL REVIEW OF ALLIANCE PROBLEMS TOMORROW. RP/TS304PES

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--ALL POINTS--
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PARIS, DEC. 12 (AP)--GEN. HANS SPEIDEL, COMMANDER OF ALLIED LAND FORCES IN CENTRAL EUROPE, TODAY REPORTEDLY CALLED FOR LONGER-RANGE ROCKETS TO MEET THE SOVIET THREAT TO HIS FORCES.

AUTHORITATIVE INFORMANTS SAID SPEIDEL MADE THE STATEMENT IN A SECRET SESSION OF THE ASSEMBLY OF THE WESTERN EUROPEAN UNION, THE BODY CREATED ORIGINALLY TO CONTROL WEST GERMAN REARMAMENT AND TO BRING THAT COUNTRY INTO THE ATLANTIC ALLIANCE.

SPEIDEL, INFORMANTS WHO HEARD HIM SAID, TOLD THE ASSEMBLY THAT THE ROCKETS WERE NECESSARY TO SMASH INTO COMMUNIST FORCES IN THE EVENT OF AN ATTACK BEFORE THE BULK OF THE FORCES CAN EFFECTIVELY PUSH INTO CENTRAL EUROPE.

FOR THAT REASON, THE WEST GERMAN GENERAL REPORTEDLY SAID, THE WEST GERMAN FORCES IN NATO MUST BE EQUIPPED WITH THE AMERICAN PERSHING ROCKETS AS QUICKLY AS POSSIBLE. THIS ROCKET IS SAID TO HAVE A RANGE OF ABOUT 400 MILES AND IS CAPABLE OF CARRYING A NUCLEAR WARHEAD. SPEIDEL'S COMMAND ALREADY HAS SHORTER-RANGE ROCKETS.

SPEIDEL'S COMMAND STRETCHES FROM THE ALPS TO THE BALTIC SEA AND INCLUDES THE POWERFUL U.S. 7TH ARMY. TS408PES

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PARIS, DEC. 12 (AP)-PREMIER MICHEL DEBRE SAID TODAY FRANCE WILL NOT INTEGRATE ALL HER DEFENSE FORCES INTO ANY ALLIED STRUCTURE. THE PREMIER, ECHOING PRESIDENT CHARLES DE GAULLE'S FIRMLY-HELD VIEWS, TOLD THE FRENCH SENATE A TRULY NATIONAL FORCE IS THE FOUNDATION FOR ANY ALLIED DEFENSE. HE ADDED:
"THE INTEGRATION OF OUR ENTIRE MILITARY DEFENSE INTO A GROUPING OVER WHICH WE WOULD NO LONGER HAVE ANY CONTROL WOULD AMOUNT TO A VERITABLE NATIONAL RESIGNATION."
DEBRE'S COMMENTS CAME ON THE EVE OF THE NORTH ATLANTIC TREATY (NATO) SESSION WHICH IS EXPECTED TO HEAR NEW PLEAS FROM ALLIED COMMANDERS FOR GREATER INTEGRATION OF AVAILABLE FORCES. SINGLING OUT THE UNITED STATES HE SAID "THE AMERICAN POLICY TOWARD UNITED ARAB REPUBLIC PRESIDENT GAMAL ABDEL NASSER AND TOWARD THE CONGO LEAVES US SKEPTICAL AS TO THE VIRTUE OF POLITICAL OR MILITARY INTEGRATION."

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A115 (140)

MOSCOW, DEC. 12 (AP)-DENMARK'S AMBASSADOR WAS CALLED INTO THE SOVIET FOREIGN OFFICE TODAY AND GIVEN A WARNING AGAINST THE DANES FORMING A JOINT BALTIC DEFENSE COMMAND WITH WEST GERMANY. AMBASSADOR HOLTEN EGGART WAS TOLD DENMARK'S COURSE WAS LENDING SUPPORT TO WEST GERMAN "REVENGE SEEKERS." THE FORMATION OF THE COMMAND WAS CITED BY THE RUSSIANS WHEN THEY RECENTLY APPLIED PRESSURE ON FINLAND FOR MILITARY CONSULTATIONS ON THE CONTENTION WEST GERMANY WAS PREPARING FOR WAR.

THE CONSULTATIONS LATER WERE POSTPONED AFTER A CONFERENCE BETWEEN PREMIER KHRUSHCHEV AND PRESIDENT URHO KKKONEN OF FINLAND.

--DASH--

COPENHAGEN, DENMARK, DEC. 12 (AP)-THE GOVERNMENT TODAY RECEIVED A NOTE FROM MOSCOW, BUT THE FOREIGN MINISTRY SAID IT WOULD NOT BE PUBLISHED UNTIL IT HAD BEEN STUDIED BY THE GOVERNMENT. THE STATE RADIO SPECULATED THAT THE NOTE CONCERNED THE NEW DANISH-WEST GERMAN BALTIC COMMAND WITHIN THE NORTH ATLANTIC TREATY ORGANIZATION.

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(330) LODGE

WASHINGTON, DEC. 12 (AP)-HENRY CABOT LODGE REPORTED TO PRESIDENT KENNEDY TODAY ON CONDITIONS IN WESTERN EUROPE, AND SAID AFTERWARD THAT "THE MARCH TOWARD UNITY IN WESTERN EUROPE IS ADVANCING WITH GIANT STRIDES."

LODGE SAID THAT THE UNITED STATES IS GOING TO BE UP AGAINST A VITAL CHOICE--"WE HAVE TO DO SOMETHING CONSTRUCTIVE OR SOMETHING DESTRUCTIVE WILL HAPPEN...THE ROAD TO POLITICAL UNITY IS ECONOMIC UNITY. WE HAVE THE RESOURCES, THE COMMUNISTS HAVE THE ORGANIZATION."

"IF WE GET THE ORGANIZATION, THE WHOLE BALANCE OF POWER WILL CHANGE. THAT'S THE ONE THING KHRUSHCHEV FEARS--UNITY OF THE WEST."

LODGE IS A FORMER SENATOR, FORMER U.S. AMBASSADOR TO THE UNITED NATIONS, AND LOSING REPUBLICAN VICE PRESIDENTIAL NOMINEE IN THE ELECTION THAT PUT KENNEDY IN THE WHITE HOUSE LAST YEAR. SINCE NOV. 8, HE HAS BEEN DIRECTOR GENERAL OF THE ATLANTIC INSTITUTE. THIS IS A NON-GOVERNMENTAL ORGANIZATION TRYING TO PROMOTE FREE WORLD UNITY. ITS HEADQUARTERS ARE IN PARIS.

LODGE SAID THE ATLANTIC INSTITUTE IS PLANNING A MEETING IN PARIS IN THE SPRING AT WHICH IT HOPES TO DRAFT A STATEMENT OF FREE WORLD AIMS FOR HUMANITY. PEOPLE KNOW WHAT THE COMMUNISTS STAND FOR, HE SAID, BUT NOT WHAT THE FREE WORLD STANDS FOR.

SPEAKING OF THE STRIDES TOWARD UNITY IN WESTERN EUROPE, LODGE REMARKED THAT FRANCE IS EVEN PROPOSING A TREATY TO SET UP COMMON FOREIGN AND DEFENSE POLICIES. LODGE DESCRIBED KENNEDY AS VERY MUCH IN FAVOR OF

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THE PURPOSES OF THE ATLANTIC INSTITUTE.

A QUESTIONER WANTED TO KNOW WHETHER LODGE IS SATISFIED WITH THE DEGREE OF UNITY OVER WEST GERMANY. HE REPLIED THAT "WE COULD BE MORE UNITED IN GENERAL, INCLUDING MORE UNITY ON WEST GERMANY. HE SAID WEST GERMANY SHOULD BE IN THE WESTERN ALLIANCE WITH EQUAL RESPONSIBILITIES AND STATUS."

TO A QUESTION WHETHER WEST GERMANY SHOULD HAVE NUCLEAR ARMS, LODGE SAID THE FEDERAL REPUBLIC SHOULD BE ON AN EQUAL BASIS WITH BRITAIN AND FRANC. BOTH OF THEM HAVE NUCLEAR WEAPONS.

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A122 (140)

TOKYO, DEC. 12 (AP)-SOVIET PREMIER KHRUSHCHEV HAS REJECTED JAPAN'S CLAIM TO TWO SMALL ISLANDS OFF THE NORTHERN TIP OF HOKKAIDO, JAPAN'S NORTHERNMOST MAIN ISLAND.

THE REJECTION WAS MADE BY THE SOVIET PREMIER IN A LETTER DATED DEC. 8 HANDED TO PRIME MINISTER HAYATO IKEDA TODAY BY SOVIET AMBASSADOR NICOLAI T. FEDORENKO.

THE SOVIET LETTER, A REPLY TO IKEDA'S LETTER OF NOV. 15, SAID THE ISLANDS OF KUNASHIRI AND ETOROFU ARE PART OF THE KURILE GROUP WHICH BELONG TO THE SOVIET UNION UNDER THE YALTA DECLARATION.

THE TWO ISLANDS ARE STILL SOVIET TERRITORIES BECAUSE A RUSSIAN-JAPANESE PEACE TREATY HAS NOT BEEN CONCLUDED YET, THE LETTER SAID.

IN HIS NOV. 15 LETTER TO KHRUSHCHEV, IKEDA DEMANDED THAT THE SOVIET UNION RETURN THE TWO ISLANDS AND SAID THEY ARE JAPAN'S HISTORIC TERRITORIES WHICH "HAVE NEVER BELONGED TO ANY COUNTRY OTHER THAN JAPAN."

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--ALL POINTS--

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BERLIN, DEC. 12 (AP)-BRITAIN TODAY SHARPLY PROTESTED TO THE RUSSIANS AGAINST THE ABDUCTION OF TWO WEST BERLINERS BY EAST GERMAN BORDER POLICE, A BRITISH SPOKESMAN ANNOUNCED.

THE PROTEST SAID EAST GERMAN BORDER GUARDS FORCIBLY ABDUCTED THE TWO WEST BERLINERS AFTER MAKING "A CRIMINAL INCURSION INTO WEST BERLIN" ON DEC. 9. THE INCIDENT TOOK PLACE ON THE BORDER BETWEEN EAST GERMANY AND THE BRITISH SECTOR OF BERLIN.

THE BRITISH CALLED ON THE SOVIETS TO "ENSURE THE SAFE RETURN OF THOSE KIDNAPPED AND TO PUNISH THOSE RESPONSIBLE" AND SAID "ALL NECESSARY MEASURES WILL BE TAKEN TO SECURE THE BRITISH SECTOR AGAINST FURTHER ILLEGAL INCURSIONS" BY THE EAST GERMAN BORDER GUARDS.

WEST BERLIN POLICE IDENTIFIED THE TWO AS STUDENT MARTIN SONNABEND, 19, OF THE WEST BERLIN TECHNICAL UNIVERSITY AND MARTIN SCHROETER, A 17-YEAR-OLD WORKER.

THE EAST GERMANS OPENED FIRE AND SONNABEND WAS INJURED BY A BULLET, POLICE SAID.

THE EAST GERMANS CLAIMED THE TWO HAD ATTEMPTED TO ENTER EAST GERMAN TERRITORY AND HAD FIRED ON THE BORDER GUARDS.

MEANWHILE, TRAFFIC ON THE LIFELINE AUTOBAHN CONNECTING WEST BERLIN WITH WEST GERMANY FLOWED SMOOTHLY AFTER MONDAY'S TRAFFIC JAM THAT SAW UP TO 100 TRUCKS PILING UP AT THE CHECKPOINT INTO EAST GERMANY HERE. THE JAM WAS CAUSED BY EAST GERMAN POLICE CHECKING THROUGH EACH TRUCK.

THE U.S. ARMY ALSO REPORTED THAT TWO OF ITS CONVOYS DESTINED FOR WEST GERMANY MOVED ALONG THE HIGHWAY WITHOUT A HITCH. THE CONVOYS WERE FROM THE 1ST BATTLE GROUP, 18TH INFANTRY WHICH WAS RUSHED TO BERLIN AUG. 20 AND IS NOW BEING REPLACED.

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A155KA (WA)

FIRST LEAD WALKER (250)
BY RAYMOND HOLBROOK

DALLAS, TEX., DEC. 12 (AP)—FORMER MAJOR GENERAL EDWIN A. WALKER SAID TONIGHT HE QUIT THE ARMY BECAUSE HE COULD NO LONGER "BE A COLLABORATOR WITH THE RELEASE OF UNITED STATES SOVEREIGNTY TO THE UNITED NATIONS."

THE 51-YEAR-OLD TEXAN WAS INTERRUPTED BY APPLAUSE FREQUENTLY DURING A SPEECH OF MORE THAN AN HOUR IN THE DALLAS MEMORIAL AUDITORIUM AT A RALLY BILLED AS "TEXANS WELCOME GENERAL WALKER."

THE CROWD ROSE TO ITS FEET AND CHEERED MANY TIMES AS HE DENOUNCED UNITED STATES FOREIGN POLICY, FORMER NATIONAL LEADERS, AND COMMUNISTS. MANY IN THE CROWD WAVED AMERICAN FLAGS.

PRESIDING AT THE RALLY WAS FORMER TEXAS GOVERNOR COKE STEVENSON, A LONG-TIME LEADER OF CONSERVATIVE FORCES IN THE STATE.

AUDITORIUM ENGINEER BURT YOUNGBLOOD ESTIMATED THE CROWD AT 5,600.

HEAVIEST APPLAUSE CAME WHEN WALKER MENTIONED GEN. DOUGLAS MACARTHUR, THE LATE SEN. JOSEPH MCCARTHY AND SEN. STROM THURMOND, AND RECOMMENDED THE MOTION PICTURE "OPERATION ABOLITION."

THE CROWD GAVE LONG STANDING OVATIONS IN THE FLAG-DECKED HALL WHEN WALKER APPEARED ON THE STAGE AND AT THE END OF HIS TALK.

THEY BOOED LOUDLY WHEN WALKER MENTIONED ADLAI STEVENSON, THE UNITED NATIONS SEN. WILLIAM FULBRIGHT OF ARKANSAS, AND WHAT WALKER CALLED "MODERATE PATRIOTS" CONTRASTED WITH WHAT HE CALLED "SUPER-PATRIOTS."

WALKER CRITICIZED SHARPLY WHAT HE TERMED CENSORSHIP OF U.S. MILITARY LEADERS, "SUBVERSION OF NATIONAL INTEREST BY ONE-WORLDEERS," AND STATE DEPARTMENT FOREIGN POLICY IN THE PAST 16 YEARS.

"UNDER CENSORSHIP OUR POLICY SEEMS TO VERGE ON INSANITY. NO WONDER (KATANGA PRESIDENT MOISE) TSHOMBE HAS NOW ACCUSED US OF HAVING COMMUNISTS IN OUR GOVERNMENT. WHAT OTHER EXPLANATION IS THERE?" WALKER SAID AS THE CROWD STOOD AND CHEERED.

WALKER SAID CENSORSHIP OF THE MILITARY HAD ACCOMPLISHED THREE GOALS OF THE COMMUNISTS--REDUCED THE SIZE OF U.S. ARMED FORCES, LIMITED THEIR USE OF WEAPONS, AND UNDERMINED THEIR TRAINING, MORALE AND SENSE OF PURPOSE.

"WITH 30 YEARS OF MILITARY EXPERIENCE I AM NOW A CITIZEN, AND IT IS MY DUTY TO SAY RIGHT NOW, ABOUT OUR ARMY TODAY: I HAVE NEVER SEEN AN ARMY WITH A GREATER CAUSE FOR A GREAT COUNTRY WITH A MORE OBVIOUS TOTAL ENEMY, THAT HAD LESS MISSION AND PURPOSE," HE SAID.

IN OBVIOUS REFERENCE TO HIS BEING REPRIMANDED AND RELIEVED OF COMMAND OF THE 24TH INFANTRY DIVISION IN EUROPE--AFTER THE ARMY ACCUSED HIM OF CRITICIZING HIGH GOVERNMENT OFFICIALS AND ATTEMPTING TO INFLUENCE SOLDIERS' VOTES THROUGH HIS TROOP-INDOCTRINATION PROGRAM--WALKER SAID:

"I HAVE BEEN CHARGED WITH NOTHING. I HAVE BEEN FOUND GUILTY OF NOTHING. I HAVE BEEN PUNISHED FOR NOTHING. I HAVE NO GRIEVANCES OR REGRETS."

WALKER SAID HIS OATH AS AN OFFICER OF THE ARMY REQUIRED HIM TO UPHOLD THE CONSTITUTION OF THE UNITED STATES.

"I WAS NOT ABLE TO CONTINUE IN THE MILITARY SERVICE WITH A GENERAL'S COMMAND RESPONSIBILITY SINCE I COULD MAKE NO COMPROMISE WITH THE OATH OF OFFICE AFTER CENSORSHIP HAD PREVENTED ME FROM GIVING MY TROOPS THE TRAINING THAT I WAS RESPONSIBLE FOR," HE SAID.

"TODAY OUR RELATION AND SUBORDINATION TO THE UNITED NATIONS PUTS EVERY MAN SIGNING THE OATH UNDER A DOUBLE STANDARD. WE ARE SWORN TO DEFEND AMERICA BUT HAVE TO ABIDE BY U.N. DECISIONS. UNDER THESE CONDITIONS, THE OATH BECOMES FALSIFIED AND FICTITIOUS. I COULD NO LONGER SERVE IN UNIFORM AND BE A COLLABORATOR WITH THIS RELEASE OF OUR SOVEREIGNTY TO THE U.N."

WALKER SAID "THE SUBVERSION OF U.S. INTERESTS IS ACCOMPLISHED BY A CLASS OF MEN WHO BELIEVE THAT. IN ^{one world} OF 'PEACE' AND

"INTERNATIONALISM", U.S. SOVEREIGNTY AND INDEPENDENCE ARE OBSOLETE, AND THAT IT IS THEIR DUTY THROUGH A 'LONG TWILIGHT STRUGGLE' TO SEE TO IT THAT THE UNITED STATES NEVER MAKES ANY FORTHRIGHT ASSERTION OF ITS SOVEREIGNTY AND INDEPENDENCE."

MUCH OF HIS ADDRESS, HIS FIRST SINCE HE RESIGNED HIS COMMISSION, WAS DEVOTED TO WHAT HE TERMED FATAL MISTAKES BY THE GOVERNMENT, AND ESPECIALLY THE STATE DEPARTMENT, IN THE PAST 16 YEARS.

HE LISTED THESE AS PERMITTING RUSSIA TO HAVE THREE REPRESENTATIVES IN THE UNITED NATIONS TO ONE FOR THE UNITED STATES; THE DIVISION OF GERMANY AND THE CITY OF BERLIN; AN INTERNATIONAL APPROACH TO THE CONTROL OF ATOMIC ENERGY; THE ISSUE OF ATOMIC TESTING IN THE 1956 ELECTION; THE WITHHOLDING OF ATOMIC WEAPONS FROM U.S. ARMED FORCES; AND THE BERLIN AIRLIFT, WHICH HE TERMED A MISTAKE BECAUSE IT ACKNOWLEDGED RUSSIAN CONTROL OF THE GROUND.

HE ALSO LISTED THE RECALL OF GEN. DOUGLAS MACARTHUR FROM KOREA AS "THE HISTORIC EXAMPLE OF MUZZLING THE MILITARY." HE LISTED AS OTHER MISTAKES PRESIDENT EISENHOWER'S 1955 MEETING WITH KHRUSHCHEV AND BULGANIN; U.S. ASSISTANCE TO EGYPTIAN PRESIDENT GAMAL ABDEL NASSER IN TAKING THE SUEZ CANAL; USE OF FEDERAL TROOPS IN THE LITTLE ROCK INTERGRATION DISTURBANCES; THE CAPTURE OF CUBA BY COMMUNISTS AND THE FAILURE OF THE 1961 CUBAN INVASION; KHRUSHCHEV'S VISIT TO THE UNITED STATES; AND U.N. ACTION IN THE CONGO.

REFERRING TO THE "OVERSEAS WEEKLY," AN ENGLISH LANGUAGE NEWSPAPER PUBLISHED IN GERMANY FOR U.S. TROOPS, WALKER SAID "IT HAS BECOME OBVIOUS TO ME THAT THE OVERSEAS WEEKLY WAS CAHOOTING (CQ) WITH A VERY LARGE MEDIA AND COMMUNICATIONS SYSTEM, INTERNATIONAL IN EXTENT."

HE DID NOT ELABORATE, BUT WENT ON TO SAY THAT THE NEWSPAPER WHICH HAD BEEN CRITICAL OF HIS METHODS IN INDOCTRINATING TROOPS, HAD BEEN REINSTATED NINE YEARS EARLIER BY THE SECRETARY OF THE ARMY AFTER IT HAD BEEN BANNED BY THE COMMANDING GENERAL OF THE U.S. ARMY IN EUROPE.

WALKER WAS ALSO CRITICAL OF THE FULLBRIGHT MEMORANDUM, WHICH HE SAID "SUGGESTS THAT THE ACTUAL OPERATION OF TROOP EDUCATION SHOULD BE PUT INTO CIVILIAN HANDS. THIS IS PARALLEL TO THE COMMUNIST SYSTEM OF HAVING POLITICAL COMMISSARS WITH THE TROOPS."

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